

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

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2 An anti-clogging showerhead device is comprised of an air pathway upstream of the spray holes
3 of a showerhead. When the water is turned off, air is drawn by the draining water into the
4 showerhead above the spray holes through the air pathway. Therefore, suction above the water is
5 prevented from developing, and the showerhead is able to drain completely. The air pathway may
6 be provided in the water pipe extending from the wall, in the showerhead, or in an add-on tubing
7 connected between the showerhead and the water pipe. The air pathway may be comprised of a
8 permanently open hole or a valve, which may be an automatic or manual valve. The automatic
9 valve is preferably comprised of a flexible membrane which is pushed against a hole when the
10 water is turned on, and retracted from the hole when the water is turned off.